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The feasibility of diesel engines to meet the stringent emissions regulations of 2007 and beyond is an important consideration for light trucks and other personal transportation vehicles. Integrated engine and aftertreatment systems have been developed at Detroit Diesel Corporation for multiple engine and vehicle platforms. Tier 2 emissions technologies have been demonstrated with significant fuel economy advantage compared to the respective production gasoline engines while maintaining excellent drivability.

The performance and emission results were achieved by integrating advanced combustion strategies with prototype aftertreatment systems. The system development methodology included the integration of experimental and digital tools. Further, the experimental development approach included systematic testing on steady-state dynamometer, transient dynamometer and chassis dynamometer test beds.

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"Dieselization" of Vehicle Fleet Offers Significant Reduction to U.S. Transportation Energy Use

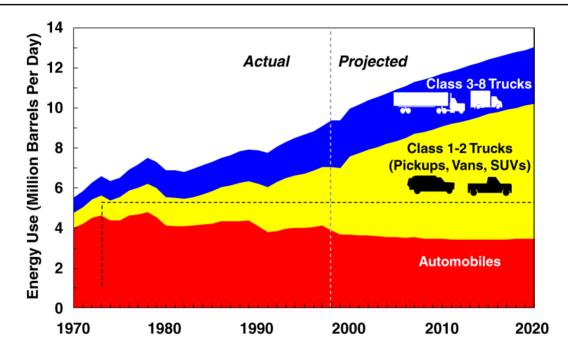


Fig. 2.2. Trucks account for increasing highway transportation energy use. *Sources: EIA Annual Energy Outlook 2000*, DOE/EIA-0383 (2000), December 1999. *Transportation Energy Data Book: Edition 19*, DOE/ORNL-6958, September 1999.

Questions Remain about Diesel Engine Potential to Achieve Future

Tier 2 Emissions and the Resulting Fuel Economy Improvement





Summary

- Tier 2 Emissions Levels Achievable For Light Truck / Sport Utility Vehicle and Passenger Car Applications with Integrated Diesel and Aftertreatment (CSF + Urea based SCR) System
 - → Significant Fuel Economy Benefit Over Gasoline Engine
- Requires Low Engine Out Emissions
 - → Advanced Combustion Strategies (e.g. DDC's CLEAN Combustion[©])
- Development Methodology Included Integration of Experimental and Digital Tools
- Experimental Development Test-beds
 - → Steady-state Dynamometer
 - → Transient Dynamometer
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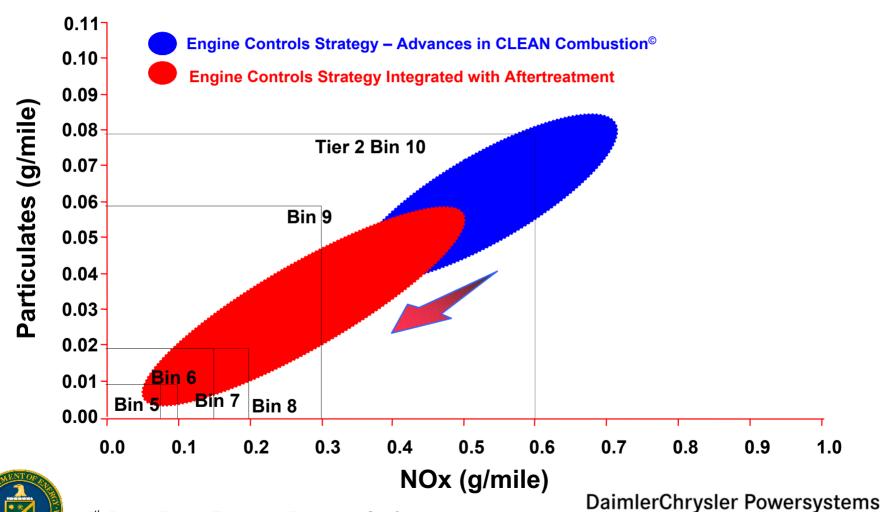


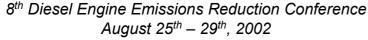
Summary (continued)

- Tier 2 Technology Demonstrated but Several Technical Challenges Remain - A Few Inventions Will be Required for the Overall Vehicle Package
 - → Increased System Complexity
 - → Sophisticated Controls Technology
 - ✓ Soot Filter Regeneration Strategy
 - ✓ Reductant Injection Strategy
 - → Infrastructure
 - ✓ Low Sulfur Fuel (<15 ppm)</p>
 - ✓ Reductant
 - → Measurement Techniques & Emissions Variability at Extremely Low Tier 2 Levels
 - → Effect of Aging or Device Variability on Aftertreatment Performance
 - → Reductant-Exhaust Mixing Quality
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 - ✓ Bench Reactor; Micro-kinetic



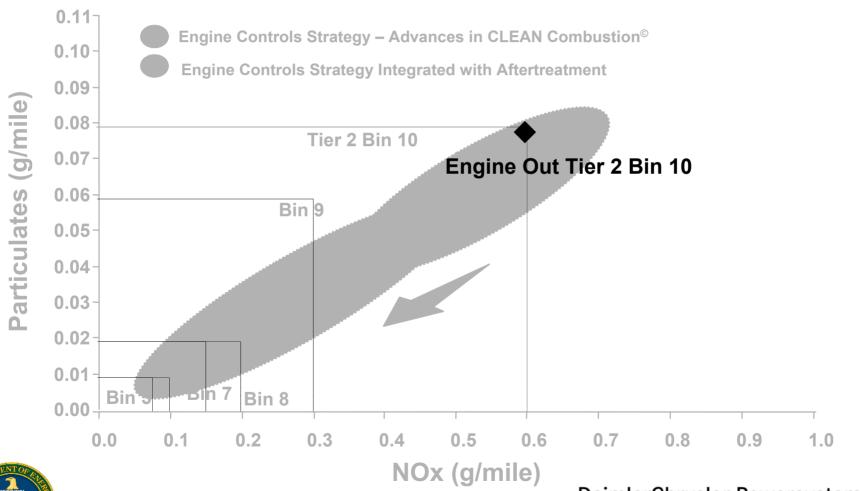
Integrated Emissions Reduction Roadmap





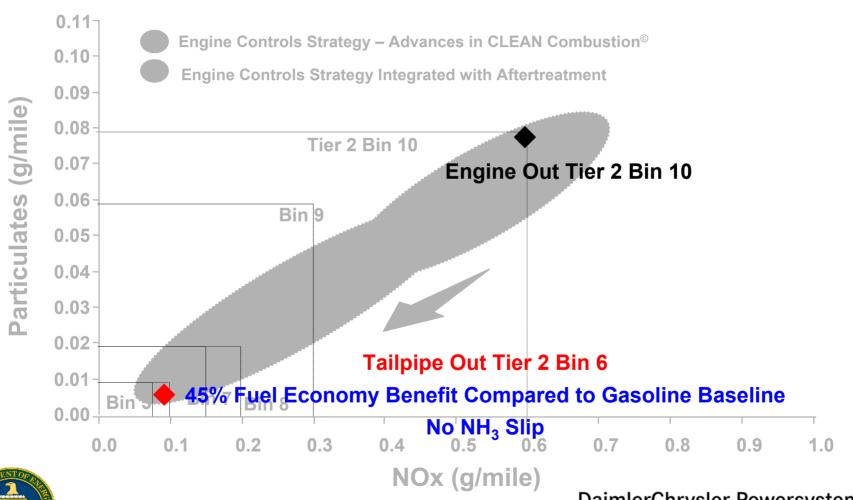


Integrated Emissions Reduction Roadmap Light Truck / SUV Platform





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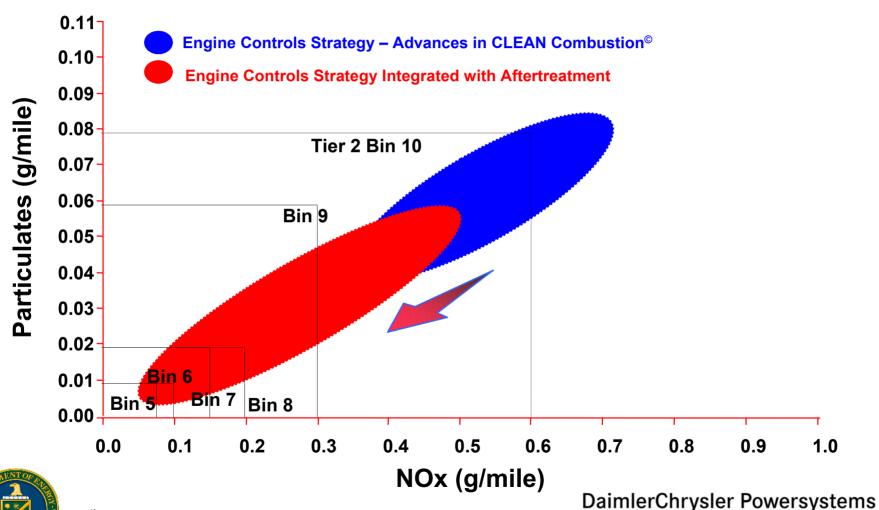


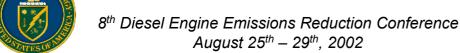
2001 Dakota Quad Cab Sport 4 x 2
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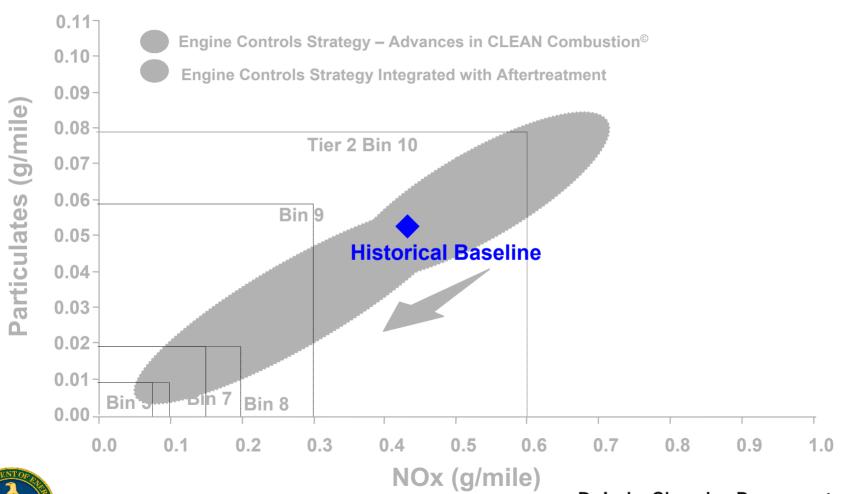
Integrated Emissions Reduction Roadmap Light Passenger Car Platform





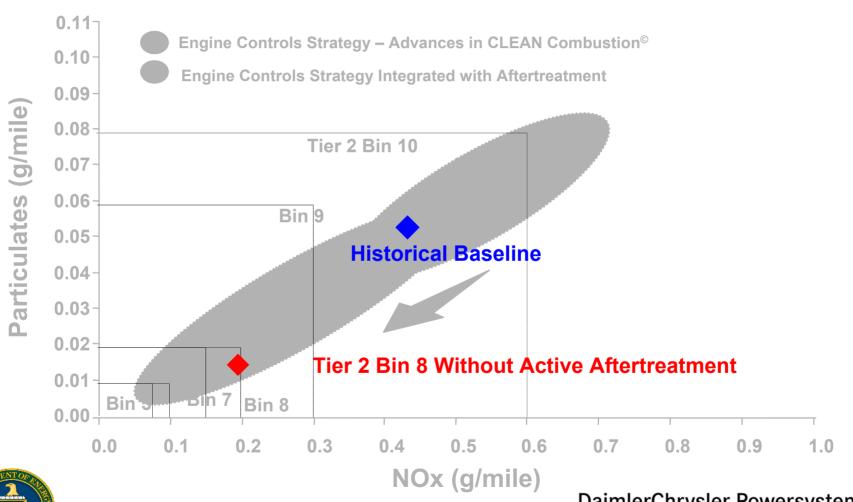


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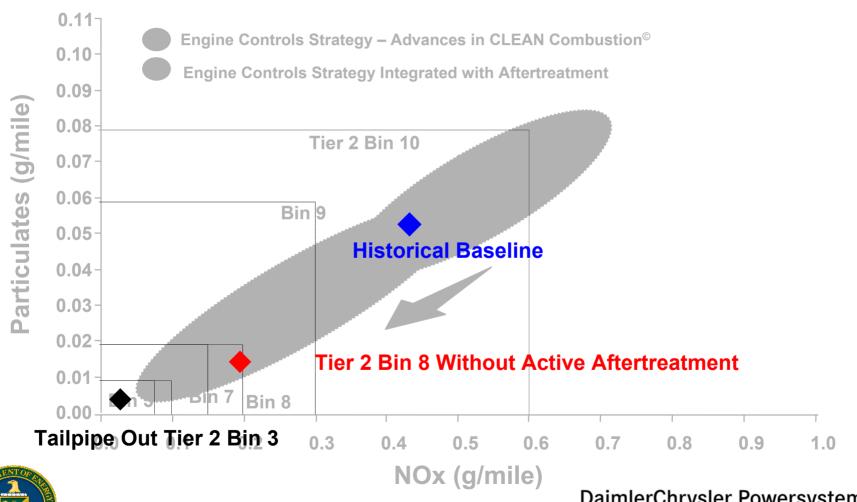


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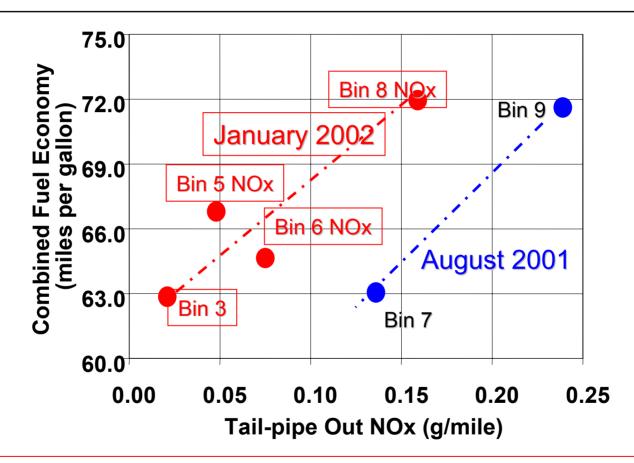


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Fuel Economy Recovery Evolution Light Passenger Car – FTP 75



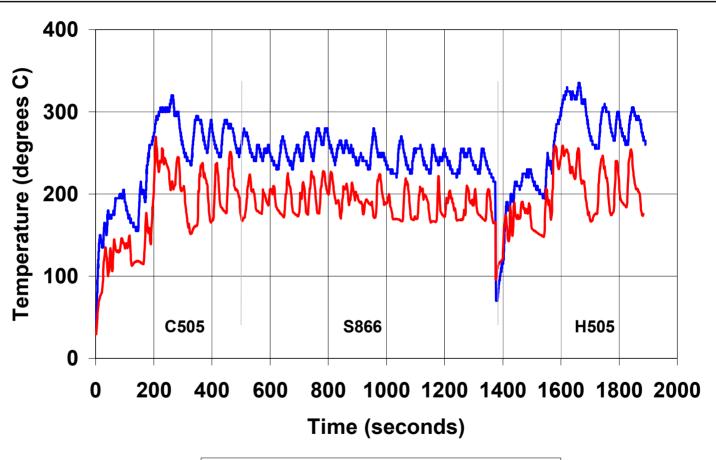
January 2002 Data Demonstrates MPG can be Selectively Recovered





Soot Filter Inlet Temperature - FTP 75

50° C ~ 75 ° C Exhaust Temperature Increase with LT/SUV

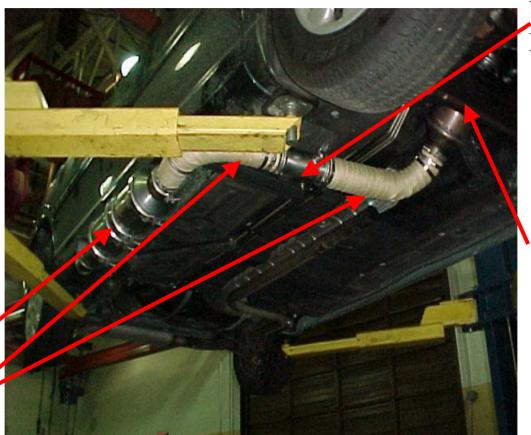








Light Passenger Car Platform



Urea Injector Position

CSF
System
(closecoupled to
engine)

PNGV Mule Vehicle



SCR System

Insulation

DDC Advanced Combustion CLEAN Combustion Diesel Fuel Based

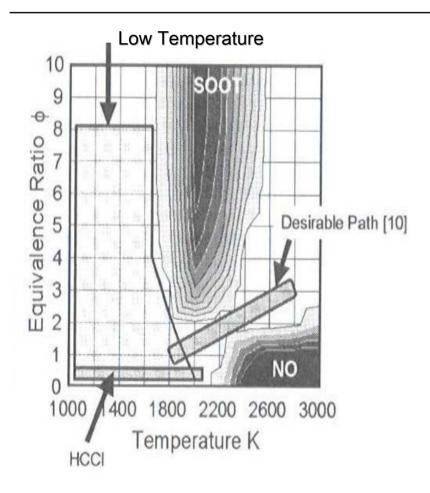
- Demonstrated Results over Multiple Engines / Platforms
- Controlled Combustion
 - →Stable HC and CO
- <u>L</u>ow <u>E</u>mission
 - → Simultaneous NOx and PM Reduction
- Aftertreatment Nurturing
 - →Integration with Passive and Active Aftertreatment

→ CLEAN Combustion[©]



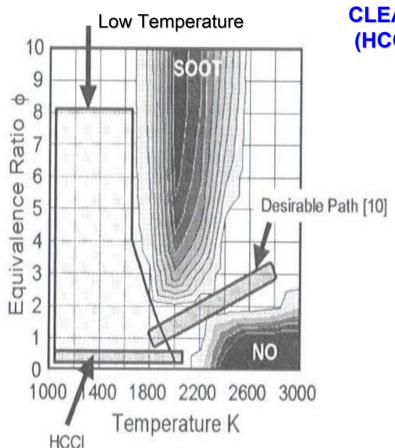
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Comparison of CLEAN Combustion[©] to Idealized Combustion Strategies

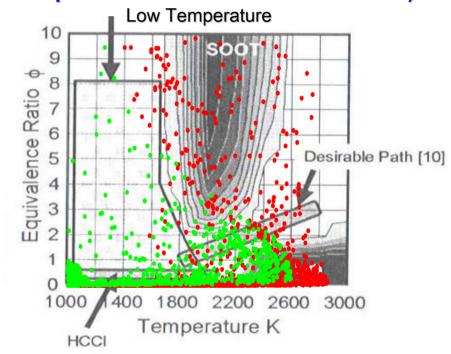




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CLEAN Combustion[©] Combines Elements of All 3 Modes (HCCI, Low Temperature and the Intermediate Path)



Local In-Cylinder Conditions at Max ROHR Condition

CLEAN Combustion[©]
Conventional Combustion





Requirements and Technical Challenges

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